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February 22, 2006 Concord NH – Insurance Commissioner Roger Sevigny and Hillsboro County Attorney Marguerite Wageling announced today that David Jackson of Rochester NH, pleaded guilty on February 9, 2006 to insurance fraud. While collecting workers compensation insurance benefits from Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, he executed several falsely sworn affidavits stating he was disabled and not receiving income from any other source. During the periods covered by the affidavits he was employed elsewhere and receiving income. He was given a one year suspended jail sentence, 1 year probation, and court ordered restitution of \$6,013. Hillsborough County North prosecuted the case and the NH Insurance Department Fraud Unit conducted the investigation.

The Insurance Department's Fraud Unit encourages the public to report suspected insurance fraud. Insurance fraud is estimated to account for at least 10% of premiums paid by consumers. To report suspected fraud call 1-800-852-3416. Callers may remain anonymous if they choose.

Additional information on insurance fraud and other consumer issues may be obtained from the NH Insurance Department by calling the toll free number above, by accessing the Department's web site at www.state.nh.us/insurance/consumer, or by writing the NH Insurance Department at 21 South Fruit St., Suite 21, Concord, NH 03301.

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